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1. HAITIAN GROUP ATTRACTING GREAT ATTENTION ON MALL. CUSTOMS IN MIAMI AND WASHINGTON ARRIVAL WENT SMOOTHLY THOUGH ONE SMALL DRUM LOST IN TRANSIT. BAGGAGE CLAIM BEING FILED.

2. MUSICIANS APPARENTLY LEFT TWO AMPLIFIERS IN HAITI SO PURCHASING SECOND-HAND REPLACEMENTS IN WASHINGTON.

3. MISS MARLENE AUGUSTIN LEFT SUITCASE OF PERSONAL BELONGINGS BEHIND, EITHER AT HOME OR AIRPORT. JEAN SASSINE, NOW IN PORT-AU-PRINCE, HAS BACKGROUND. SMITHSONIAN WOULD APPRECIATE USIS ENDEAVORING TO HAVE SUITCASE SHIPPED ASAP. HAITI LEAVES WASHINGTON TUESDAY, JULY 13. KISSINGER

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